## Oregon Society of Tax Consultants POLICY FOR LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP

A Lifetime Member may be nominated by a written application to the State OSTC Board. A member or a Unit can submit the application directly to the State OSTC Board. The following Qualifications outlined below will apply before any Lifetime Membership Award will be given:

## Qualifications for Lifetime Membership:

- 1) Must be a Current Member in Good Standing.
- 2) Must have a minimum of 30 years as a Member in Good Standing with OSTC; and
- 3) Must have provided an outstanding benefit to the Organization to be determined by a vote of three quarters (3/4) of the State Board; or
- 4) Be a State Executive Board Officer who has served a minimum of 10 years shall automatically receive a Lifetime Membership upon completion of their final year serving on the Board; or
- 5) Must have held a combination of 20 years of service either as a Unit Officer, State Officer; and/or a State Committee Chairperson.

## **Conditions:**

- 1) No more than 2 Lifetime Memberships shall be awarded in any one fiscal year.
- 2) Lifetime Members must be approved by a three-quarters (3/4) vote of the State Board of Officers at the July Board Meeting following the request.
- 3) The Lifetime Membership Award shall be announced at the following September Convention with a plaque given at that time. (To be prepared by the Past President).
- 4) Following announcement of receiving a Lifetime Membership Award, the recipient shall no longer be required to pay annual dues to continue to be a member of the Oregon Society of Tax Consultants.